



Case Docket No. 60279.00138

Date January 11, 2007

In re the Application of:

Marko KARPPANEN

Application No.: 10/073,241

Filed: February 13, 2002

Confirmation No. 8874

Art Unit: 2113

Examiner: Christopher S. McCarthy

Attorney Dkt. No.: 60279.00138

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR IMPROVING THE RELIABILITY OF A COMPUTER SYSTEM

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a statement previously submitted.

Applicant qualifies for small entity status.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)			RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA				
TOTAL	22	MINUS	20	2	X25=		or	X50= 100
INDEP.	3	MINUS	3	0	X100=		or	X200= 0
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+180=		or	+360=
					TOTAL		or	100

- Enclosed is a check in the amount of Two Hundred and Twenty Dollars (\$220.00). Except as otherwise noted herein, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Counsel's Deposit Account No. 50-2222.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Counsel's Deposit Account No. 50-2222. A duplicate copy is enclosed.
- Any filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.

Respectfully submitted,

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**PATENT APPLICATION**

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 12, 2006, having been duly extended from December 12, 2006, until January 12, 2007, by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

**Amendments to the claims are submitted beginning on page 2.**

**Remarks are submitted beginning on page 9.**

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